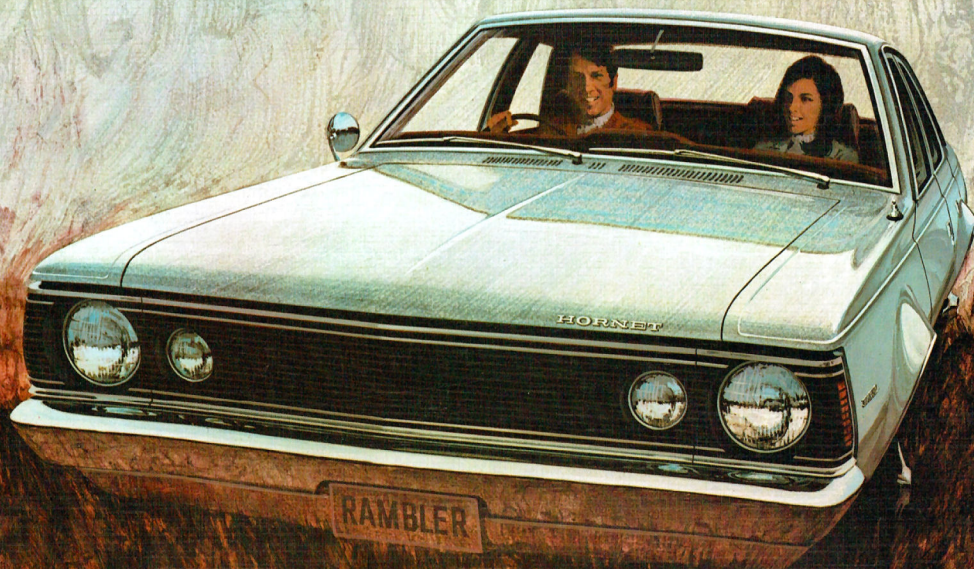


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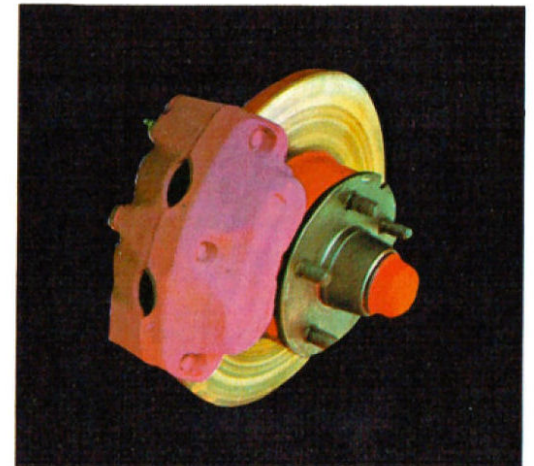
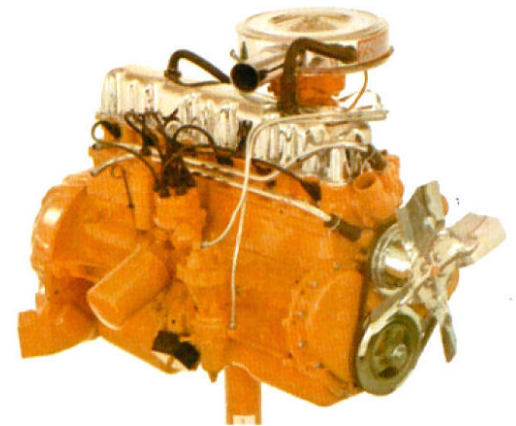
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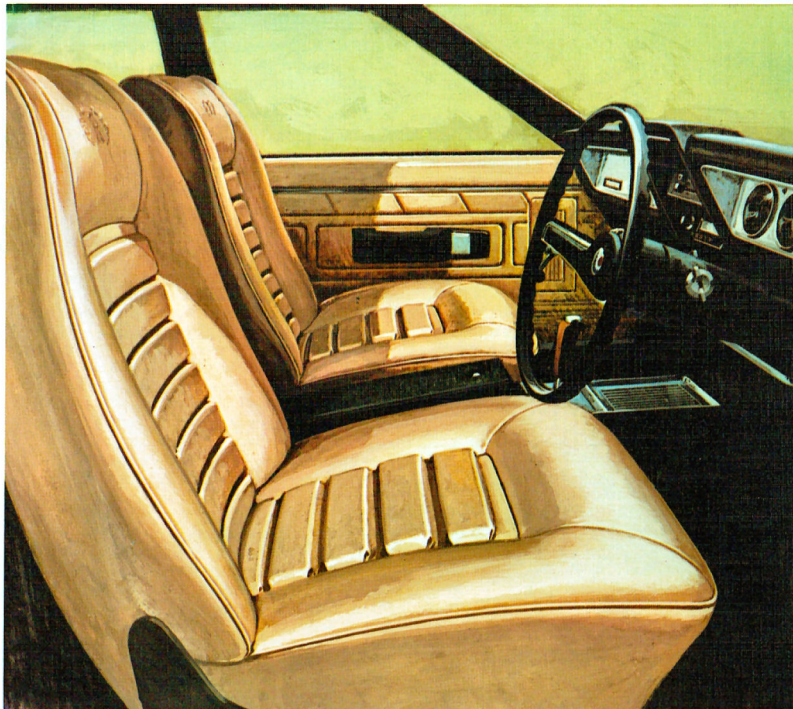
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2 barrel carburettor  
Developing 155 bhp at 4400 rpm  
222 lbs. ft. torque at 1600 rpm  
Bore — 3.75"  
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Compression Ratio — 8.5:1  
Rated H.P. 33.75

## TRANSMISSION:

Borg-Warner Automatic 3 speed shift  
command  
Stick shift operated — water cooled  
Ratios: Reverse 2.09:1  
Drive 1.00:1  
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Centre floor console with lockable  
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## TYRES:

Standard — 7.35 x 14 Tubeless  
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## COMFORT

Trim — Luxurious stretch "Chamoiskin"  
Front — Reclining form fitting high back  
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Rear — Bench type with centre arm rest.

## DIMENSIONS:

Wheelbase	108"
Overall length	179.26"
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height	52.58"
Track — front	57.46"
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Trunk capacity	11.2 cubic ft.
Fuel tank capacity	16 gallons
Kerb weight	25¼ cwt.
Road clearance	7"
Turning circle	36'

## STANDARD

## EQUIPMENT:

includes:—  
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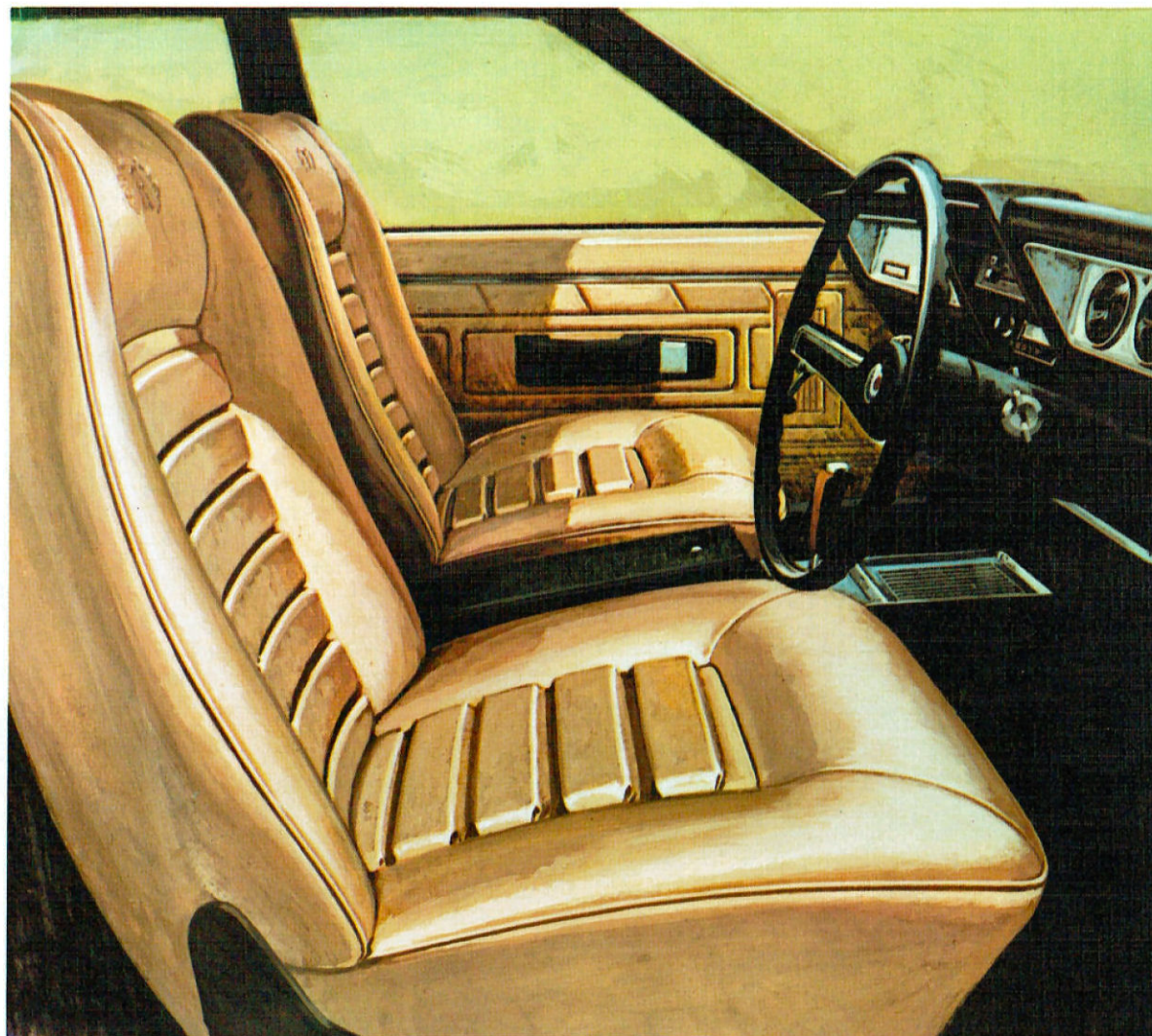
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